

Final Participant Ratings of "I want" Statements

The final exercise of the evening was asking the participants to individually rate each of the "I want" statements moved forward as a "top 12" priority by the groups. The rating system consisted of rating each statement as a high, medium or low priority. The statements have been sorted from the highest number of "high" ratings to the lowest number of "high" ratings.

Security of people and property

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want to continue to feel safe.	46	0	0
I want Police and Fire to meet the National standard.	39	7	0
I want excellent protective services, Police and Fire.	38	8	0
I want a School Resource Officer.	30	12	2
I want full staffing on Police.	29	12	5
I want to be able to ride my bike safely.	21	20	2
I want a fire station on North Education Hill.	17	23	4
I want less Police.	2	8	37

Mobility of people and goods

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want a transportation system to move goods and people efficiently.	39	2	0
I want to have a transportation system that supports business and allows for a green and healthy community.	37	4	2
I want traffic to move (e.g. coordinated lights and right turn lanes).	31	6	3
I want to improve mobility.	29	10	1
I want more transportation options for non-drivers.	28	11	6
I want to increase the regional transportation effort.	28	11	3
I want less time in traffic.	28	8	2
I want to preserve BNSF tracks for alternative uses.	24	11	5
I want to walk or bike from home to somewhere.	23	6	11
I want a transit system.	22	11	8
I want no cuts to transportation (streets) funding.	22	16	3
I want to ride High Capacity Transit between Redmond and Seattle.	22	13	6
I want light rail.	19	13	11
I want a trail on BNSF surrounded by a park (downtown portion).	18	14	8
I want safer biking.	17	23	3
I want park and rides.	12	19	7
I want to finish the trail between Farrel McWhirter to the Watershed.	12	21	7
I want accessible ways to bicycle to work.	11	17	14
I want a bike lane on 148th.	7	16	23

Utility services

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want to maintain the current level of service in utilities.	46	0	0
I want all basic services to work reliably.	44	1	1
I want to maintain and improve usage of community gathering spaces.	26	10	4

Recreation opportunities

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want safe trails.	34	10	1
I want to maintain the current level of parks and recreation programs.	32	4	0
I want to preserve and grow open spaces.	32	5	5
I want youth programs.	31	8	1
I want to buy more open space and maintain what we have.	28	10	6
I want more private sponsorship of events (to reduce City costs).	27	12	4
I want more parks and open spaces including connections like Marymoor and Redmond Town Center.	25	12	8
I want better funding for senior services.	21	23	3
I want recreation programs not duplicated by others.	20	16	6
I want a place where I want to spend my social time.	20	9	15
I want a Microsoft Aquatic Center.	18	5	13
I want a multipurpose community center.	17	19	11
I want a performing arts center.	11	14	16
I want an ice skating rink.	7	4	36
I want NO new projects for parks.	6	10	28
I want a trail system by separate user group.	3	19	26

Sustainable and vibrant economy

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want to maintain quality of life in the most efficient manner.	46	0	0
I want fair taxes.	38	4	1
I want to encourage business partnerships in Redmond.	36	1	1
I want the City to think of more innovative ways to deliver City services and leverage dollars.	32	3	1
I want to view business differently (treat differently such as with taxes) large companies and small companies.	28	10	5
I want to support and help nurture small business.	28	10	3
I want to form partnerships with large companies to enhance quality of life in all areas.	26	16	1
I want more events to increase revenue and activity.	24	11	4
I want business to pay more taxes.	14	13	8
I want to maintain current tax levels.	13	13	8
I want to privatize events (Derby Days).	12	12	18
I want balance between business and residential taxes.	11	17	10
I want library and internet access (WIFI) everywhere (doesn't need to be free).	11	18	11
I want a Nordstrom at Redmond Town Center.	5	20	15

Building community

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want access to government.	35	6	2
I want more citizens to be involved.	33	3	4
I want services at Senior Center maintained or higher.	31	17	1
I want on-going public communication with citizens.	28	8	1
I want good teen activities.	28	9	2
I want to improve or maintain Teen Center.	28	11	3
I want to see Redmond recognize the value of human capital (staff).	27	10	1
I want Redmond to be great for growing older.	24	10	3
I want continued community events.	23	11	2
I want to optimize the sharing of public resources.	23	7	1
I want to expand and celebrate diversity.	21	9	10
I want School Resource Officers paid for by LWSD.	21	6	6
I want a close community where I know my neighbors.	20	15	4
I want more opportunities to engage government officials.	19	15	5
I want active downtown like Kirkland.	14	15	14
I want the City to consider alternative methods of providing administrative services.	14	12	15
I want more local concerts to raise revenue.	13	12	18
I want Redmond to be more attractive like a European village.	10	13	12
I want more art on the streets.	9	9	24

Healthy natural environment

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want Redmond to be a leader in environmental integrity.	32	4	3
I want to acknowledge growth and sustain quality of life -- open space and good built environment.	32	4	2
I want resource conservation and restoration.	26	11	2
I want gradual restoration of traditional salmon runs.	22	9	6
I want trees and tax incentives for environmental incentives.	22	7	6
I want every action by the City to be environmentally conscious.	18	13	6
I want to stop clutter such as sandwich boards and tattered banners.	11	12	17
I want hanging flower baskets.	7	10	20

Protection of assets

Statement	Priority		
	High	Medium	Low
I want fiscal responsibility.	37	1	0
I want well maintained public infrastructure.	34	4	0
I want trails and outdoor parks.	32	4	3
I want to stop suing the bagel guy.	31	2	2
I want preliminary budgets to be defined and transparent.	30	6	2
I want to survive when the earthquake happens.	28	2	7
I want public/private partnerships for extras.	27	8	2
I want to maintain our infrastructure at current levels.	21	8	6
I want to explore pension liability (review future of fund).	9	9	7
I want to know the impact of 911 on budget (increase awareness of impact on City services).	9	12	18